

Track your reading time on the Beanstack Tracker app, online at <http://merrimacklibrary.beanstack.org> OR use this paper bingo log by marking one block for each task you complete between June 21 and August 16. When you've completed the log, visit the library for your prize(s)! You must finish the card to complete this year's challenge. **Read more, earn more entries for our drawing tablet AND help us reach our 600 reading badges goal!**

Here are some of our teen events this summer:

**Saturday, June 24 at 6 PM:** Murder Mystery Dinner Lock-In

**Bi-Weekly on Thursdays from 2:30—4 PM:** Fandom-onium

**Saturday, July 15 at 3PM:** Teen Nerf Wars

**Friday, August 18th at 6 PM:** Killer Camp Escape Room and Mario Kart Live

Register for these events and more at [merrimacklibrary.org/calendar](http://merrimacklibrary.org/calendar)

Tell someone about the book you're reading or a book you recently read and loved!	Give someone a compliment. (Make sure you mean it.)	Tidy up your room or your belongings without being asked.	Read a nonfiction book.	Read a novel in verse.
Borrow an item from Library of Things!	Read a graphic novel.	Plant a pollinator-friendly plant or flower.	Read outside of your preferred genres.	Read for 30 minutes.
Read for 30 minutes.	Help carry bags! Unload the bags after a grocery/ shopping trip or take out the trash.	Fill out a shelf-talker in the Teen Area and leave it for us to install!	Recommend your favorite book or author to someone.	Listen to an audiobook!
Read for 20 minutes three days in a row.	Ask someone for a book recommendation—a friend, a family member, or a librarian!	Reach out to someone who might be lonely or who you haven't spoken to for a while.	Attend a library program.	Clean or organize for 15 minutes.

## How the Reading Challenge Works:

- Register starting June 1 (online, by email or by phone).
- Track your reading time starting June 21. You can log your time online at <http://merrimacklibrary.beanstack.org>, by using the Beanstack Tracker app, or on this paper log.
- Blackout the bingo card on the back.
- Earn a free prize book for each log you finish. Log activities every week to be automatically entered into our raffle to win a new Simbans Picasso Tab XL 11.6 Inch Standalone Drawing Tablet
- Complete more bingo cards, earn more prizes, and help us reach our 600 badge community goal!
- Last day to record reading time is August 16.



**READ FOR A GOOD CAUSE.** This year, our community reading goal is **600** badges. If we reach our goal, the Friends of the Library will make a donation on your behalf!

Don't forget to come to our teen events!

View it online at:

[www.merrimacklibrary.org/calendar](http://www.merrimacklibrary.org/calendar)

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See the back of this pamphlet for details on signing up and participating in the Teen Summer Reading Challenge.

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